

## NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

**NOTICE** [22-101]

Name of Information Collection: NASA STEM Gateway (Universal Registration and Data Management System)

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection—Extension of a currently approved collection

**SUMMARY:** The National Aeronautics and Space Administration, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections.

**DATES:** Comments are due by [INSERT DATE 30 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and recommendations for this information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review-Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Bill Edwards-Bodmer, NASA Clearance Officer, NASA Headquarters, 300 E Street SW, JF0000, Washington, DC 20546, call 757-864-3292, or email b.edwards-bodmer@nasa.gov.

## **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. Abstract:** Based on user feedback provided during the initial release of the NASA STEM Gateway (Universal Registration and Data Management System), NASA plans to develop updates/enhancements to improve information collected and the overall user experience in the

NASA STEM Gateway. The NASA STEM Gateway (Universal Registration and Data Management System) is a comprehensive tool designed to allow learners (i.e., students, educators, and awardee principal investigators) to apply to NASA STEM engagement opportunities (e.g., internships, fellowships, challenges, educator professional development, experiential learning activities, etc.) in a single location. NASA personnel manage the selection of applicants and implementation of engagement opportunities within the NASA STEM Gateway. The information collected will be used by the NASA Office of STEM Engagement (OSTEM) and other NASA offices to review applications for participation in NASA STEM engagement opportunities. The information is reviewed by OSTEM project and activity managers, as well as NASA mentors who would be hosting students. This information collection will consist of student-level data such as demographic information submitted as part of the application. In addition to supporting student selection, student-level data will enable NASA OSTEM to fulfill federally mandated reporting on its STEM engagement activities and report relevant demographic information as needed for Agency performance goals and success criteria (annual performance indicators).

II. Methods of Collection: Online/Web-based

## III. Data

**Title:** NASA STEM Gateway (Universal Registration and Data Management System)

**OMB Number:** 2700-0180

**Type of review:** Renewal of a previously approved information collection

investigators may voluntarily apply for an internship or fellowship experience at a NASA

Affected Public: Individuals. Eligible students or educators, and/or awardee principal

facility, or register for a STEM engagement opportunity (e.g., challenges, educator

professional development, experiential learning activities, etc.). Parents/caregivers of

eligible student applicants (at least 16 years of age but under the age of 18) may

voluntarily provide consent for their eligible student applicants to apply.

**Estimated Annual Number of Activities: 40** 

Estimated Number of Respondents per Activity: 4,125

**Annual Responses:** 165,000

**Estimated Time Per Response:** 30 minutes

**Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 82,500** 

**Estimated Total Annual Cost: \$1,015,207** 

**IV. Request for Comments** 

Comments are invited on: 1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the

proper performance of the functions of NASA, including whether the information collected has

practical utility; 2) the accuracy of NASA's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of

the proposed collection of information; 3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the

information to be collected; and 4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information

on respondents, including automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of

information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and included in the request

for OMB approval of this information collection. They will also become a matter of public

record.

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